



February 17, 2005

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, TW-A325  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *ExParte* Notice

In the Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service ETC Guidelines in  
Portability Rules, CC Docket No. 96-45

In the Matter of Developing a Unified Inter-carrier Compensation Regime, CC Docket  
No. 01-92

In the Matter of IP-Enabled Services, WC Docket No. 04-36

In the Matter of AT&T Corp. Petition for Declaratory Ruling Regarding Its Prepaid  
Calling Card Services, WC Docket No. 03-133

In the Matter of Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet Over  
Wireline Facilities, CC Docket No. 02-33

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Wednesday, February 16, 2005, Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein and Scott Bergmann, Commissioner Adelstein's Legal Advisor for Wireline Issues, met with L. Marie Guillory, Dan Mitchell, Scott Reiter, and Shirley Bloomfield of the National Telecommunications Cooperative Association (NTCA). Also present were NTCA members, Darren Moser with 3 Rivers Telecommunications Cooperative Inc., Tom Conry with Farmers Mutual Telephone Cooperative Company, and Kevin Hranicka with Van Buren Telephone Company. The group met in San Antonio, Texas at the Marriott River Center Hotel during NTCA 2005 Annual Meeting.

At the meeting, issues related to the above-referenced dockets were discussed. Specifically, the group talked about NTCA positions concerning universal service, inter-carrier compensation, voice over Internet protocol (VoIP), AT&T prepaid calling card, and proposed regulation of broadband. The discussions were consistent with NTCA's positions in previously filed comments and pleadings in the above-referenced dockets.

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In accordance with the FCC's rules, an original and two copies of this letter are being filed with the Secretary's office. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

/s/ Dan Mitchell  
Dan Mitchell  
Sr. Regulatory Counsel  
Legal and Industry

cc: Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein  
Scott Bergmann, Legal Advisor